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Attorney's Docket No. 702-010717

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Serial No.: <u>09/831,001</u> .	Filing Date: September 19, 2001
Examiner: Krishnan S. Menon	Group Art Unit: 1723
Invention: "Device For Treating A Gas/I	iquid Mixture"

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- __ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- X No additional fee is required.
- ___ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- X A check in the amount of \$\frac{410.00}{} is enclosed to cover the two-month Extension of Time.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- X Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16.
- X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17.

April 7, 2003

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2002, the Applicants submit the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this reply.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this reply.

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